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**Attention Drug Lab Chemists:**

Please do not try to evaporate empty hydrochloric acid bottles. For safety purposes, please rinse the bottles thoroughly and carefully with cool water. If you do not feel comfortable doing this, please ask MGL or DJR to take care of it. Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.